

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
A B S T R A C T

Public Services- Health Medical & Family Welfare Department – Allegations of Misappropriation of Government money of PHC, Yerraguntla, Kadapa district by Sri K.Devasahayam, Senior Assistant,PHC, Yerraguntla, YSR Kadapa district (Retired) - Departmental action initiated –punishment of 15% cut in pension for a period of two (2) two years besides recovery of an amount of Rs.84,340/- Imposed- Orders Issued.

HEALTH, MEDICAL AND FAMILY WELFARE (VC.1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 95

Dated: 30-07-2018

Read the following:-

- 1.From the Director of Health, AP,Rc.No.2779/PAC/VC.III.D/1994, Dated;11-5-2006.
2. Govt., Memo.No.10088/VC-III-2/2006, Dated:20-06-2006
3. From the Director of Health, AP,Rc.No.2779/PAC/VC.III.D/1994, Dated;11-7-2006
4. Govt.Memo.No.10088/VC-III-2/2006,Dt:15-7-2006, 29-3-2007 , 19-8-2008, 28-5-2009 and 24-2-2016
- 5.From the Director of Public Health & Family Welfare, AP, Rc.No.2779/PAC/VC.II.A/1994, Dated.13-4-2016.
6. Memo.No.10088/VC1(2)/2006, Dated:27-07-2017
7. From the Director of Public Health & Family Welfare, AP, Rc.No.2779/VC.II.A/1994, Dated:20-11-2017.
8. Memo.No.10088/VC1(2)/2006, Dated:22-12-2017.
9. From the Director of Public Health & Family Welfare, AP, Rc.No.2779/VC.II.A/1994, Dated:27-04-2018.
- 10.Govt.Letter No.10088/VC1(2)/2006, Dated:19-06-2018.
11. From the Secretary, APPSC, Lr.No.396/DC&C/2018, Dated:12-07-2018.

ORDER:

In the reference 3rd read above,the Director or Health, AP has stated that the charges were framed against Sri K.Devasahayam, Senior Assistant for committed certain financial irregularities, while working at PHC, Yerraguntla, Kadapa district vide their proceedings dated;12-12-1996.Subsequently the delinquent officer i.e., Sri K.Devasahayam, Senior Assistant has been placed under suspension by the Director or Health, AP, vide their proceedings dated;20-12-1996.

2. The Director or Health, AP has further stated that the Regional Director of Medical & Health Services,Kadapa has been appointed as Enquiry Officer to conduct enquiry into financial irregularities and misappropriation of Government money vide their proceedings dated;30-8-1997. Meanwhile Sri K.Devasahayam, Senior Assistant, PHC, Yerraguntla, YSR Kadapa district has retired from service on attaining the age of superannuation on the AN of 29-2-2000, while under suspension.

3. The Director or Health, AP has further stated that the Regional Director of Medical & Health Services,Kadapa has conducted the enquiry on 17-10-2003 into financial irregularities and misappropriation of Government money by Sri K.Devasahayam, Senior Assistant, PHC, Yerraguntla, YSR Kadapa district (retired) and submitted enquiry report vide their letter dated;24-12-2003. The Regional Director of Medical & Health Services, Kadapa in his letter dated;27-4-2006 has stated that Sri K.Devasahayam, Senior Assistant, PHC, Yerraguntla, YSR Kadapa district (retired) is responsible for misappropriation of amount of Rs.84,340/- as the charges were proved.

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4. In reference 4th read above, the Director of Public Health & Family Welfare, AP , has been directed to recover the total misappropriated amount i.e., Rs.84,340/- from Sri K.Devasahayam, Senior Assistant (Retired), Primary Health Centre, Yarraguntla, Kadapa District from his retirement benefits, if it was not already recovered and also requested to state whether the misappropriated amount has been recovered from the individual. If, so, the recovery particulars may be furnished to Govt., for taking further action in the matter.

5. In reference 5th read above, the Director of Public Health & Family Welfare, AP , has stated that the DM&HO, Kadapa district has informed that the bills in respect of Sri K.Devasahayam, Senior Assistant (Retired), PHC, Yerraguntla, Kadapa District were prepared duly making recovery of Govt., money of Rs.84,340/- and submitted to the Sub-Treasury, Kamalapuram. But the Treasury authorities have not passed the bills and made objections for want of finance approval and hence the bills are pending. He further stated that the MO has informed him that no retirement benefits have been settled to Sri K. Deva Sahayam, Senior Assistant (Retired), PHC, Yerraguntla so far and stated the misappropriation amount will be paid from the bills of the individual as soon as the financial approval is obtained from the Treasury authorities and requested to the Government for issuance of necessary orders.

6. The Government have observed that the charges framed against the Charged Officer are held proved, and decided provisionally to impose the punishment of 15% cut in pension for a period of two (2) two years besides recovery of an amount of Rs.84,340/- (Rupees Eighty Four thousand three hundred and forty only) from his pensionary benefits under sub rule (1) of Rule 9 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules 1980, and accordingly , a show cause notice has been issued to him calling for his explanation in the matter vide reference 6th read above. In the reference 9th read above the individual has submitted his explanation which is not convincing. Therefore Government have decided to confirm the provisional decision to impose a punishment of 15% cut in pension for a period of two (2) two years besides recovery of an amount of Rs.84,340/- (Rupees Eighty Four thousand three hundred and forty only) against Sri K.Devasahayam, Senior Assistant, PHC, Yerraguntla, YSR Kadapa district (Retired) under sub rule (1) of Rule 9 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules 1980. In the reference 11th read above, the APPSC has given its Concurrence in the matter.

7. Accordingly, Government hereby order to impose the punishment of 15% cut in pension for a period of two (2) two years besides recovery of an amount of Rs.84,340/- (Rupees Eighty Four thousand three hundred and forty only) against Sri K.Devasahayam, Senior Assistant, PHC, Yerraguntla, YSR Kadapa district (Retired) under sub rule (1) of Rule 9 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules 1980, as the charges are held proved against him.

8. The Director of Public Health & Family Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada shall take necessary further action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**Dr. POONAM MALAKONDAIAH
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

Sri K.Devasahayam, Senior Assistant, PHC, Yerraguntla, YSR Kadapa district (Retired) through Director of Public Health & Family Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada (two copies)

The Director of Public Health & Family Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada .

Copy to:

The Accountant General (A&E), A.P, Hyderabad

The Deputy Accountant General (Pension) A.P, Hyderabad.

The District Treasury Officer, YSR Kadapa district.

The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, New HOD Building, OPP: Indira Gandhi Municipal Stadium Complex, M.G.Road, Near R.T.O. Office, Vijayawada.

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// FORWARDED :: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER